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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief dated August 15, 2006, transmitted herewith is an **Amended Appeal Brief** in the above-identified Application as well as a Petition for Extension of Time and the requisite fee.

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